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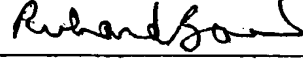
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S I R :

The above-identified application is the U.S. national phase
application of International application PCT/JP03/01897.

This concerns the DECISION dated August 5, 2008 (a copy of
which is attached hereto) for the above-identified application.

The August 5, 2008 DECISION states in the last sentence of
the 4th paragraph that "The new English translation of the
international application filed on 27 June 2008 is accepted."

However, the new English translation of the international

application was filed in the USPTO on 26 June 2008, as evidenced by the attached copy of the postcard receipt therefor, which bears the USPTO PCT LEGAL ADMINISTRATION date stamp thereon of "JUN 26 2008."

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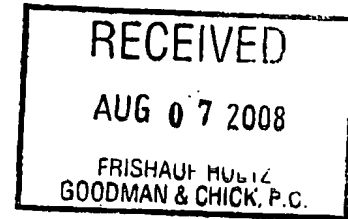


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SUBCONJUNCTIVAL ADMINISTRATION OF
FINE GRAINS

DECISION

This is a decision on applicant's "Submission of Corrected Translation" in effect, a petition requesting acceptance of an English translation as a replacement for the English translation, filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) on 27 June 2008 in the above identified application. The processing fee for filing the English translation after the thirty month period is required and has been paid.

On 20 August 2004, applicant filed a Transmittal Letter to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) Concerning a Filing Under 35 U.S.C. 371 (Form PTO 1390) along with, *inter alia*, the basic national fee and a purported English translation of the international application PCT/JP03/01897. No Notification of Missing Requirements was mailed.

On 30 December 2004, a Notification of Acceptance was mailed to applicant indicating that the date of receipt of 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1), (c)(2) and (c)(4) requirements was 20 August 2004.

On 27 June 2007, applicant filed the instant request to accept a corrected English translation for international application PCT/JP03/01897 as a replacement for the originally filed English translation. A correct English translation of the international application PCT/JP03/01897 was submitted. The new English translation of the international application filed on 27 June 2008 is accepted.

The Notification of Acceptance mailed on 30 December 2004 is hereby **VACATED**.

The application will be forwarded to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) for further processing including issuance of a new Notification of Acceptance.

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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION PCT/JP03/01897
and FORM PTO-2038 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$130

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